



Crash-Safe Energy Storage Systems

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Executive Summary

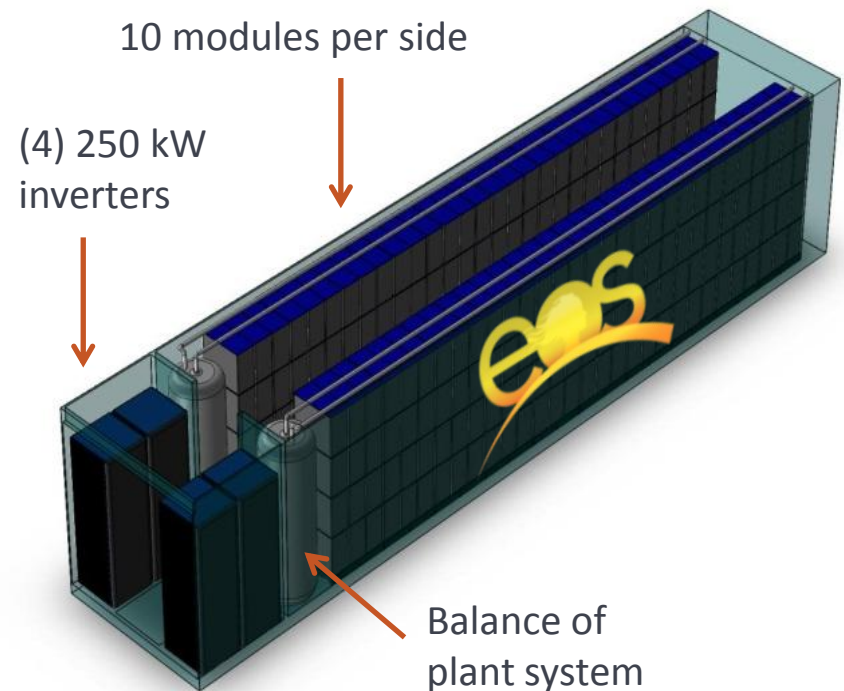
- Eos has developed a safe, reliable, non-toxic, non-combustible, low cost zinc energy storage system for the electric grid that can be sold for **\$160/kWh**, rechargeable over 10,000 cycles (30 years)
- Eos is scaling up battery prototypes in 2012/3 in preparation for manufacturing and delivery of MW grid-scale systems to grid customers in 2014
- Eos' low-cost zinc battery technology could enable an EV with 350+ km range that can be produced at the same cost as a gasoline powered vehicle
- While Eos will emphasize grid-storage with its Aurora product, Eos would like to partner with OEMs and battery suppliers to develop:
 1. Eos zinc-air range extender (near-term)
 2. Eos refuelable **and** rechargeable zinc-air battery/fuel-cell (long-term)



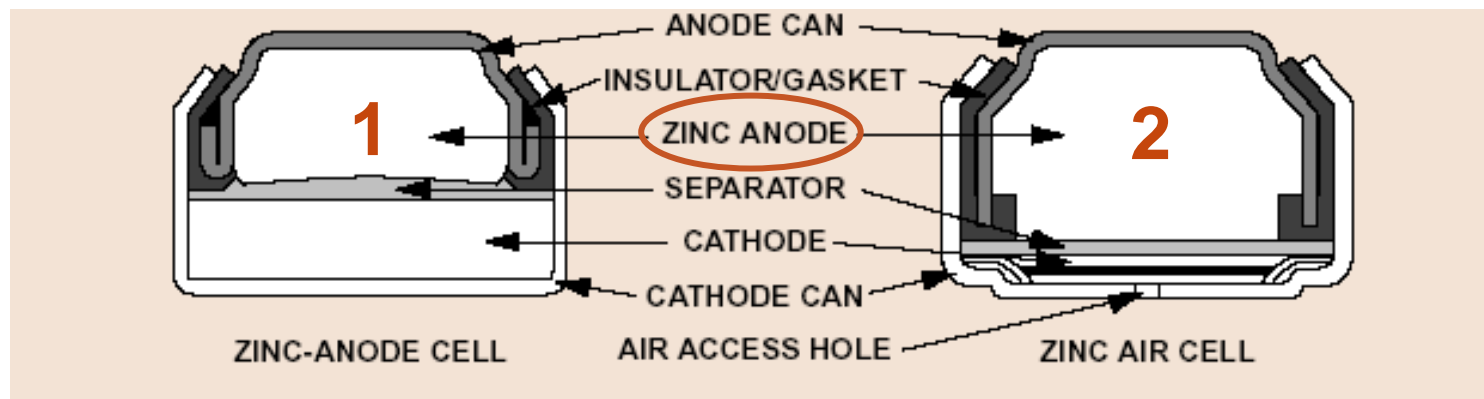
Eos Aurora 1000 | 6000

Targeted applications define technology characteristics required for profitability

Technology Attributes	
Low-Cost	\$1,000/kW or \$160/kWh
Long Life	10,000 cycles (30 years)
Ample Storage	1 MW for 6 hours = 6MWh in a 40' ISO shipping container
Efficient	75% round-trip efficiency
100% Safe	Non-toxic, non-combustible, no risk of catastrophic failure



Why Zinc-Air Batteries?



- Increased amount of anode material in the Zinc-air cell enables greater capacity and energy density at lower cost
- Zinc-air batteries use ambient air as the active cathode material—eliminating material that would normally be carried within the battery



Non-metal Air Batteries

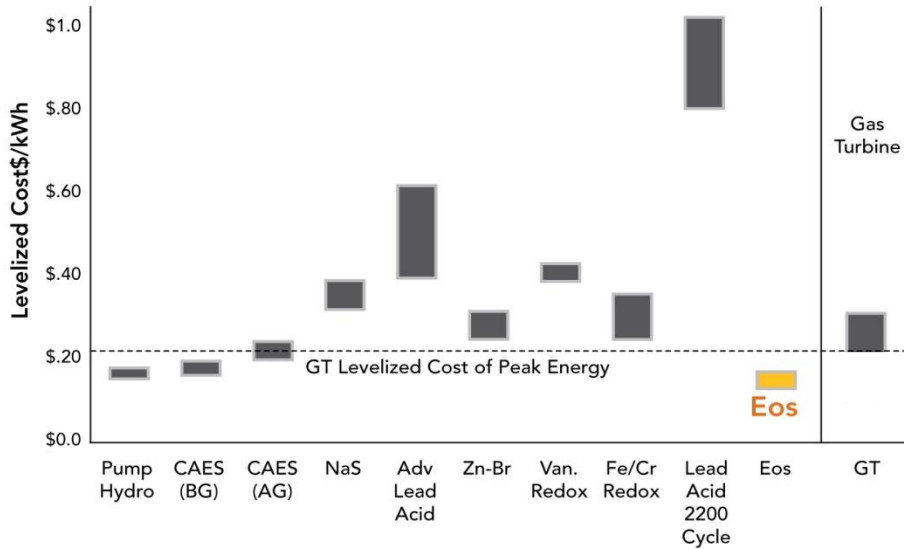
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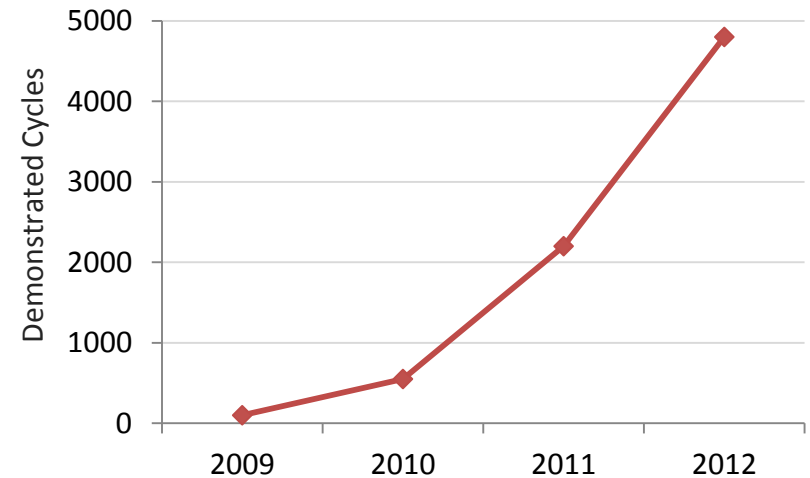
Zinc-Air Battery

Eos Competitive Advantages

Low Cost



Long Life



High Energy Density

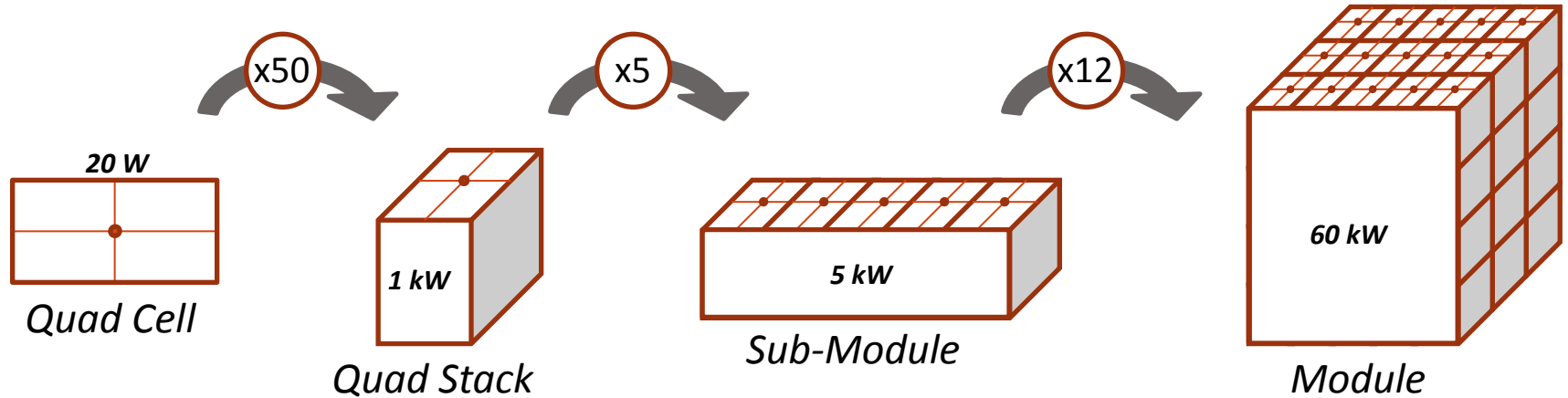


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*Non-Eos data source: EPRI, Electricity Energy Storage Technology Options, 2010. Natural gas fuel cost range: \$6.5 -8/MMBtu. Levelized cost of energy includes cap. fix, and var. costs. Gas peaking cost estimate from Lazard, 2009, midpoint of est. range; assumes: 150MW facility, Capital cost \$1,125/MW, Heat rate 10.5 MMBtu/MWh, Cap. factor 10%, Facility Life 35 years, Construction time 25 months. Eos: 2MW plant, 25% cap. factor (6hrs of energy production), Roundtrip efficiency of 75%, Cap. cost for entire system with Eos battery \$1.7/watt, O&M costs: \$20,000/year for a 2MW/12MWh operating costs, Facility Life 30 years.

Eos Aurora Milestones



Q1 2012

Q2 2012

Q3 2012

Q4 2012

Q1 2013

Q2 2013

Q3 2013

Q4 2013

Q1 2014

Eos 1kW
Quad Stack
completed
ahead of
schedule



✓ 1 kW Battery Complete
Aug 2012

Sub-Module
Complete
March 2013

Pilot Line
Facility
Sept 2013

Multi-MW
Manufacturing
Jan 2014



Electric Vehicle Challenges

- Today's EV battery costs \$500/kWh
- Goal of \$250/kWh

Cost?

Range?

- 40-190 mile range today
- Goal of 350 miles

- 7 hrs to charge 24 kWh
Nissan Leaf

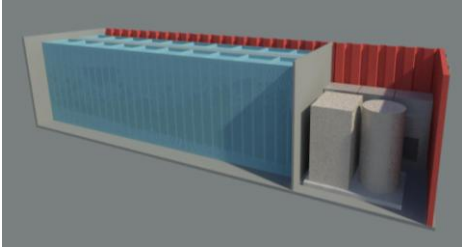
**Fueling
Time?**

Safety?

- Instability of Li-ion results in catastrophic incidents



Eos EV Development Roadmap

Current Focus	Near Term (2014)	Long Term (2015-16)
Eos Aurora: Grid-Scale 	1. EV Range Extender <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 30 kWh – 10 kW range extender • Paired with lithium ion • Full system range of 250 km • < \$3,500 	2. Refuelable Battery <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 72 kW pulse / 35 kW continuous • 70 kWh for 350 km range • 3 min mechanical refuel • < \$10,000
<p>Eos internal resources dedicated to first generation grid product launch</p>	<p>Adaptation of zinc-air technology optimized for power, weight, and mobile application requirements</p>	<p>Innovative battery design requires advanced engineering to enable mechanical refueling</p>



EOS EV Battery Metrics

	Eos EV Near-term goal	Eos EV Med-term goal	Average Lithium Ion	USABC Minimum Goals	USABC Long Term Goals
System Level W/kg	91	145	350	300	400
System Level Wh/kg	120	180	100	150	200
System Level W/l	208	530	350	460	600
System Level Wh/l	273	620	100	230	300
Cost USD/kWhr	100	<100	500	<150	100

EOS densities are system level including balance of plant

A dual EOS and power battery can add kW with small weight and cost penalty

Eos excels at system level costs per Kwh



EV Development Focus

Automotive Needs	Eos Development Approach
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sloshing of electrolyte	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Viscosify electrolyte
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Low Temperature	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Electrolyte formulation, viscosifier with antifreeze characteristics
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• High Temperature	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Electrolyte management system and self-filling/healing system design
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Semi-Sealed Construction	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Alter electrode reactions, engineer case
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sustained high power	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Optimize power by enhancing chemistry; match w/ Li-ion, lead-acid, or capacitor

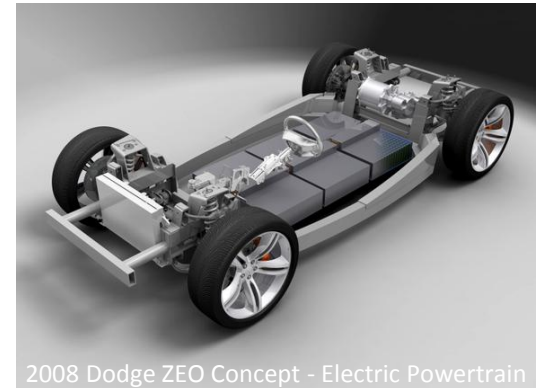
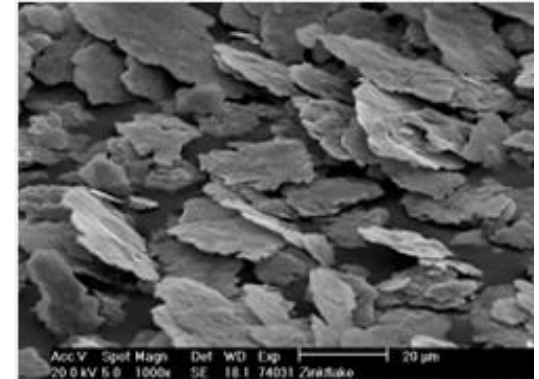
24 months of joint development could solve engineering—not fundamental science—challenges to create a low cost, long range vehicle battery



Eos Vista Zinc-Air Battery/Fuel Cell

Refueling Process Description:

1. The Eos Transfusion System replaces fully discharged electrolyte with zinc metal / electrolyte slurry
 - Turbulence used to suspend zinc metal flakes in electrolyte solution as it flows into the battery
 - Discharged electrolyte evacuated and returned to refueling station for re-use/recycling
2. Heavy zinc flakes settle on anode surface as each cell is refilled (think snow globe).
3. A brief conditioning charge lightly plates the zinc metal to the anode surface within each cell. Start to finish, the vehicle is fully recharged in 3-5 minutes.



Eos Vista battery will enable rapid electrolyte refueling *in addition* to electrical recharging



Summary

Eos Electric Vehicle Strategy	
Goal:	While maintaining separate and primary focus on grid-scale technology, partner with major EV players to develop and commercialize Eos automotive battery configurations
Eos Offering:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Eos zinc-air range extender2. Eos refuelable zinc-air battery/fuel-cell
Potential Partners:	Battery manufacturers, Tier 1 suppliers, OEMs
Development Plan:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Phase I</u> (R&D) – Achieve and validate performance targets for range extender by 2013• <u>Phase II</u> (Engineering) – Battery design and productization to deliver range extender prototype by 2014• <u>Phase III</u> (Future Development) – Develop architecture and electrolyte exchange mechanism for refuelable battery/fuel-cell in 2015-16





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